



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

HANNA *et al.*

Appl. No. 09/030,832

Filed: February 26, 1998

For: **GABA_A Receptor Epsilon Subunits**

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Art Unit: 1801

Examiner: To Be Assigned

Atty. Docket: 1488.0950001/EKS/SGW

Preliminary Amendment

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the captioned application, applicants respectfully request that the examiner enter the following amendments.

In the Specification:

On page 4, line 20, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 5, line 4, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 5, line 6, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 11, lines 18-19, please delete "12301 Park Lawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852" and insert therefor --10801 University Blvd., Manassas, VA 20110-2209, USA--.

On page 11, line 19, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 11, line 23, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 13, line 28, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 14, line 1, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 14, line 7, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 16, line 3, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 17, line 9, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 18, line 21, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 21, line 28, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 22, line 1, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --209642--.

On page 30, line 12, please delete " _____ " and insert therefor --February 25--.